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SEGMENTED TEXT USING SYNTACTIC  
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**AMENDMENT**Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on August 16, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: